IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: Steindorf Group Art Unit: 3743 Serial No: 10/743,260 Examiner: Nihir B. Patel Filed: December 22, 2003 Our Client ID: 22827 Confirmation No: 4463 Our Account No: 04-1403 Face Mask Having Baffle Layer For Improved Fluid Resistance Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 **AMENDMENT** This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment o subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to t absence of a signature thereto. Fee requirements (if any) have been calculated as shown below: Claims Highest remaining number after previously Present Additional amendment paid for Extra Fee Total Effective Claims 27 minus Independent Claims minus $\times \$200 =$.00 If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time, add \$290.00 (per application) .00 Since Official Action set an original due date of August 17, 2005, PETITION is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month \$120; 2 months \$450; 3 months \$1020; 4 months \$1590, .00 5 months \$2,160) If Terminal Disclaimer enclosed, add Rule 20(d) Official Fee (\$110.00) .00 SUBTOTAL: .00 If "small entity" verified statement filed [] previously,] herewith, enter one-half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract .00 TOTAL: .00 Other: 00 TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any fees in additic the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this applic and the resulting official document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account No. shown in the h hereof for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. This statement does not authorize charge of t issue fee in this case. ADDRESS: DORITY & MANNING Post Office Box 1449 ATTORNEYS AT LAW, P.A. Greenville, SC 29602 USA Customer ID No.: 22827 Reg. No: 45,716 _ Date: July 1, 2005. Telephone: 864-271-1592 Facsimile: 864-233-7342 Signature: I hereby certify that this correspondence and any referenced attachment and fee are being deposited with the Unit Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, U.S. Patent and Trademark Ofi Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on <u>July 1, 2005</u>. Denise Bulkeley (Typed or printed name of person mailing paper or fee)

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Dear Sir:

The present Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2005 in regards to the above-captioned application. Please enter the following Amendment.